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GENES AND THEIR USE FOR PRODUCING ENZYMES FOR THE BIO-DEGRADATION OF

CARRAGEENANS

REQUEST TO TRANSFER COMPUTER READABLE FORM OF SEQUENCE LISTING

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SIR:

Applicants respectfully request that an exact copy of the computer readable form of the Sequence Listing submitted in related U.S. application Serial No. 09/269,731, filed April 5, 1999, be transferred to the presently filed divisional application.

The content of the paper copy of the Sequence Listing submitted with the present divisional application and the content of the Sequence Listing in computer readable form submitted in U.S. application Serial No. 09/269.731 is the same, and includes no new matter.

Accordingly, upon the grant of this Request, it is respectfully submitted that the Sequence Listing submitted with the present divisional application complies with the

requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825.

Respectfully submitted,

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